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This bibliography on issues relating to the elderly includes mostly catalogued (current) Statistics Canada publications. Census materials have not been included as there are too many to mention here. Information from the 1981 Census by age groups includes living arrangements, quality and cost of housing, marital status, mobility, citizenship, ethnicity, immigration, language, education, economic activity and income.

The Census Division of Statistics Canada operates a Pension Search Service for those without proof of age who want to claim their pensions. Past Census records are searched to offer proof of age if the Division is provided with information of residence in past years. Application forms are available from any of Statistics Canada's Regional Offices.

If you would like to have more information on the publications in this bibliography or any other subject areas, you may telephone, write or visit any of the Statistics Canada Regional Offices listed on the next page.

The Appendix provides a selected listing of other federal government data sources on the elderly in Canada.

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NON-CENSUS SOURCES ON THE ELDERLY

Catalogued publications

11-003 Canadian Statistical Review (monthly, $3.50 a copy)
"Private Pension Plans and Socio-Economic Status" March, 1981 p.p. XVI-XXI includes a section on the economic situation of the elderly.

"An Update on the Economic Situation of the Elderly" November, 1981 p.p. XIV-XXIV includes tabulations on income composition and incidence of low income by family status.

11-402 Canada Yearbook 1980-81 (biennial, $16.95 a copy)
"Social Security" Ch. 8 p.p. 317-330 includes information of federal and provincial government social security programs, assistance to the elderly and pension plans.

11-403 Canada Handbook 1980-81 (biennial, $6.00 a copy)
"Veterans Affairs" and "Health and Welfare" p.p. 292-303 includes information on pension plans in Canada.

11-508* Perspectives Canada II (occasional, $9.25 a copy)
"The Older Canadians", p.p. 35-62. This chapter covers all aspects of the elderly including health.

11-511 Perspectives Canada III (occasional, $9.95 a copy)
"Social Security in Canada" Ch. 7 p.p. 117-128 includes information on social security programs including pensions.

13-207 Income Distributions by Size in Canada (annual, $10.00 a copy)
Tables 23, 38, 39, 45, 65, 66 give information on income, education, living arrangements and marital status.

13-208 Family Incomes: Census Families (annual, $6.00 a copy)
Tables 4 and 16 give percent distribution by income, age and sex for Census families and non-family persons respectively.

13-210 Income After Tax: Distributions by Size in Canada (annual, $6.00 a copy)
Tables 4, 12 and 22 give percent distribution of after tax income for families and unattached individuals.

13-561 Distributional Effects of Health and Education Benefits, Canada 1974 (occasional, $2.10 a copy)
Based on data from the 1975 Survey of Consumer Finances, it gives information on the utilization and estimated monetary benefits accruing from health and educational services.

13-567 Household Facilities by Income and Other Characteristics, 1980 (occasional, $8.00 a copy)
Gives information on number of households of elderly living alone. For elderly heads of households information is available on the facilities, age and amenities of the dwelling.

13-570 The Distribution of Income and Wealth in Canada, 1977 (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Provides distribution of wealth by age groups for families and unattached individuals.

13-572 Incomes, Assets and Indebtedness of Families in Canada, 1977 (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Analyses asset holdings, indebtedness and wealth by age groups for families and unattached individuals.

13-575 Expenditure Patterns and Income Adequacy for the Elderly, 1969-76 (occasional, $6.00 a copy)
Shows differences in expenditure patterns of unattached individuals and of married couples in the pre- and post-retirement age groups. Also has an appendix on income and wealth.

13-577 Earnings of Men and Women selected Years 1967 to 1979 (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Data on earnings and wages and salaries for full-time and part-time workers by age and sex.

62-010 Consumer Prices and Price Indexes (quarterly, $6.00 a copy)
The edition for the first quarter includes a supplement of a low income CPI.

62-548 Urban Family Food Expenditure 1978 (occasional, $10.00 a copy)
Tables 5 and 16 give average weekly food expenditure patterns, homeowners and head Canadian born for 16 cities.

62-550 Family Expenditure in Canada, Volume 2, Major Urban Centres: Sixteen Cities 1978 (occasional, $10.00 a copy)
Table 6 gives information for 16 cities on homeownership, car and truck ownership, head Canadian born, average dollar expenditure patterns and personal taxes.

62-551 Family Expenditure in Canada, Volume 3, All Canada: Urban and Rural
Tables 7 and 10. Information as 62-550 but for urban and rural areas.

71-001 The Labour Force (monthly, $3.50 a copy)
Labour force characteristics by age and sex in every edition. "The declining labour force participation rate of men age 55 and over: an examination of possible causes". October 1980.

74-401 Pension Plans in Canada (biennial, $7.00 a copy)
Provides information on all employer sponsored pension plans - eligibility, retirement ages, etc...

82-206 Hospital Morbidity (annual, $10.00 a copy)
Diseases by 5-year age groups, sex and length of stay.

82-208 Surgical Procedures and Treatments: A report on the Surgical Operations and Non-surgical Procedures Performed on In-patients in Canadian Hospitals (annual, $10.00 a copy)
Counts by province, age, sex, and length of stay.

82-209 Hospital Morbidity: Canadian Diagnostic List (annual, $8.00 a copy)
Similar to Cat. 82-206 except that the Canadian Diagnostic list is used rather than the I.C.D.A.

82-212 Tuberculosis Statistics: Morbidity and Mortality (annual, $4.50 a copy)
Reported cases by age group and province

82-538 The Health of Canadians, Report of the Canadian Health Survey (occasional, $10.00 a copy)
Information on alcohol and tobacco use, physical activity, seatbels use, health problems, blood pressure and frequency of doctor use.

83-204 Mental Health Statistics, Volume I, Institutional Admissions and Separations (annual, $8.00 a copy)
Admissions and separations by age, sex, marital status and diagnostic class for Canada and provinces.

83-222* Special Care Facilities. Residential Facilities and Services
Includes information on homes for the aged. More up-to-date data is available although unpublished.

83-520 A Prognosis for Hospitals: The Effects of Population Change on the Need for Hospital Space, 1967-2031 (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
This paper provides projections of the demand for hospital space and concommitant costs.

83-521 Retirement and Mortality: An Examination of Mortality in a Group of Retired Canadians 1979-80 by O.B. Adams and L.A. Lefebvre (occasional, $4.50 a copy)
The mortality pattern of a cohort of Canadian Pension Plan retirees was observed for the first four years of retirement.

83-552 An Analysis of Hospital Expenditures in Canada by D.E. Angus, L.A. Lefebvre, and C. Strohmenger (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Projections and analysis of hospital expenditures by 5 major disease groups. Effects of the life cycle upon hospital expenditures.

84-203 Causes of Death: Provinces by Sex and Canada by Sex and Age, Detailed Categories of the International Classification of Diseases, (ICD) (annual, $15.00 a copy)
Number and causes of death by 5 year age groups.

84-205 Vital Statistics, Volume II, Marriages and Divorces (annual, $6.00 a copy)
Gives age specific marriage and divorce rates.

84-206 Vital Statistics, Volume III, Mortality, Summary List of Causes (annual, $7.00 a copy)
Deaths and rates by cause and sex for Canada and provinces.

84-532* Life Tables, Canada and Provinces (occasional, $6.00 a copy)
Life expectancy at different ages.

84-536 Marriage, Divorce and Mortality: A Life Table Analysis for Canada, 1975-77 (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Gives expected marriage, divorce and widow rates for different age groups.

85-209 Homicide Statistics (annual, $8.00 a copy)
Gives method of homicide by region for victims over 60 years.

85-211 Correctional Services in Canada (annual, $20.00 a copy)
Provides admissions and sentence by age.

85-505 Homicide in Canada: A Statistical Synopsis (occasional, $2.80 a copy)
Homicide and manslaughter victims and suspects by age, sex, relationship to each other.

86-503 Living Arrangements of Canada's Older Women (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Discusses the causes and problems of older women living alone.

86-501 Workmen's/Workers' Compensation: Social Security, Provincial Programs, 1980 (occasional, $6.00 a copy)
Number of claims by type, by age and sex of claimant for Canada and provinces.

86-507 Social Security National Programs, Volume 3, Canada and Quebec Pension Plans (occasional, $7.00 a copy)

86-509 Social Security National Programs, Volume 5, Old Age Security, Guaranteed Income Supplement and Spouse's Allowance (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Special tabulations provided by age, sex and marital status, characteristics of persons receiving GIS.

86-510 Social Security National Programs, Volume 6, Social Allowances and Services (occasional, $7.00 a copy)
Includes a section on assistance to the older population p.p. 12-21.

87-502 Culture Statistics, Travel to Work 1973-77 (occasional, $1.05 a copy)
Commuters by age, sex and primary method of transit.

91-202 Estimates of Population by Sex and Age for Canada and the Provinces (annual, $4.50 a copy)

91-203 Estimates of Population by Marital Status, Age and Sex, Canada and the Provinces (annual, $6.00 a copy)

91-204 Estimates of Census Families for Canada and the Provinces (annual, $6.00 a copy)
Number of families and average size by age group and type.

91-208 International and Inter-provincial Migration in Canada (annual, $4.50 a copy)

91-520 Population Projections for Canada and the Provinces, 1976-2001 (occasional, $15.00 a copy)
Population projections by 5-year age groups.

91-522 Household and Family Projections, 1976-2001 (occasional, $8.00 a copy)
Projections by age of head.

* = out of print

APPENDIX

Selected Listing of Other Federal Government Data Sources on the Elderly.

Employment and Immigration Canada

Immigration Statistics (annual, free)
Tabulated immigration data by age, sex, country of last permanent residence, marital status and destination by province.

Health and Welfare Canada

Canada Pension Plan Contributors (annual, free)
Tabulates data on number of contributors, age, sex, amount contributed; average earnings and employment status for Canada and the provinces.

Canada Pension Plan Report (annual, free)
Provides data on number of beneficiaries by type of benefit and amount of payment for Canada and the provinces.

Canada Pension Plan Statistical Bulletin (quarterly, free)
Data on retirement, disability and surviving spouses pensions including gross and average monthly payments by age and sex for Canada and the provinces.

Drug Users and Convictions Statistics (annual, free)
Convictions and users by drug, age group and sex.

Income Security Programs (monthly, free)
Data on old age security, guaranteed income supplement and spouses allowance including number of recipients, gross ammounts paid and payments in and outside Canada.

Old Age Security - Annual Report (annual, free)
Old age security payments by number of persons and type of benefit.

Sexually Transmitted Diseases, Canada (annual, free)
Reported cases and incidence rates by age, sex and marital status for Canada and the provinces.

Special Report on Alcohol Statistics, 1981 (occasional, free)
Provides data on consumption patterns of the elderly.

Industry, Trade and Commerce,
Canadian Government Office of Tourism

Vacation Travel by Canadians (annual, free)
Data on retired vacationers including area visited, reason for travel, mode of transport and duration of trip.

Public Service Commission

Annual Report, Volume II: Statistics (annual, free)
Data on number of employees in the public service by age group, sex and official language.

Revenue Canada

Taxation Statistics (annual, $8.00 a copy)
Provides an analysis of individual income tax returns by age, sex, occupation and income group.